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Responsibility Law, Permits Facing Motorists

Only a few days remain for all Y-12 employees who own private automobiles or other motor vehicles who have not already done so to obtain the required driving permit for the next two years and to be prepared to operate the vehicle under the new state financial responsibility law.

New driving permits must be obtained before July 1 and the financial responsibility law goes into effect and will be enforced beginning the same day. Also on July 1 all motor vehicles operated in Oak Ridge will begin to undergo inspections in the Oak Ridge Safety Lane.

Permits Are Now On Sale

The driving permits now are on sale in Oak Ridge at the police department training school quarters in the rear of police headquarters on Oak Ridge Turnpike. The licenses will be on sale on Tuesdays through Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. until 7 p.m., Thursday, June 30, according to the Oak Ridge Department of Public Safety. The permits cover a period of two years from July 1 and cost \$1 each.

State Highway Patrol Cpl. Roy T. Purkey has pointed out that all applicants for driving permits must present a valid permit now issued in the name of the driver or take an examination. Holders of existing valid permits who fail to renew them before the July 1 deadline will be required to take a new examination before the new permit will be issued. Drivers holding permits from other states also must obtain Tennessee permits and are required to take an examination, as are new Tennessee drivers.

Government driving licenses, required of operators of all government-owned vehicles, become invalid if state permits are not renewed by July 1.

The State Highway Patrol examinations are given every Wednesday at patrol headquarters on East Division Road. The tests are given from 9:30 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

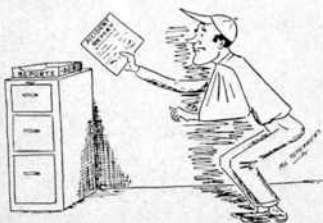
Protection Against Irresponsible

The financial responsibility law was passed by the 1949 state legislature as a protection against financially irresponsible owners or operators of motor vehicles who are involved in an accident. It promotes highway safety by facilitating the ability of the state to remove habitual accident causers from behind the steering wheel.

Under the new law, within 10 days after a motor vehicle accident in which any person is killed or injured or in which property damage to any one person, including the owner or driver, exceeds \$50, operators of each and every vehicle involved must report the accident in writing to the Department of Safety, Nashville, Tenn. Both operators are required to file the report, regardless of who is to blame.

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HARRY HAZARD



IF YOU SEE ANYTHING UNLAWFUL
REPORT IT NOW—
INSTEAD OF AN ACCIDENT REPORT LATER



THIS GROUP OF DEPT. H12L EMPLOYEES ARE ENGAGED IN SIGNING UP FOR THE Sixth Carbide Savings Plan that goes into effect July 1 and also figuring the benefits they will obtain from the plan. From left to right standing in rear are Stanley Fairbourn, Fred Kappelmann, Reatha Luce, William A. Burns, Robert Bailey, L. O. Gilpatrick and William Davis. In front around the table are E. S. Weaver, Frank Scheitlin, Kenneth Allen, C. F. Harrison, Jeanne Brownfield and Fred Thomas.

Low-Cost Florida Trip Available For Y-12ers

How would you like to spend a long week-end holiday at Panama City, Fla., going deep sea fishing or just basking in the sun on a Gulf of Mexico beach—at a cost of not more than \$35.50 covering all expenses for the round trip?

The Y-12 Recreation Office now is organizing a party to include both men and women employees in the plant and their wives and husbands who want to take advantage of this opportunity for an economical and entertaining trip.

Here are the pertinent facts of the plans for the trip.

To Travel In New Bus

The party will leave Oak Ridge at 6 o'clock Friday night, July 1, riding in a comfortable and new bus. An 11-hour ride will put the group in Panama City the next morning. The bus has roomy reclining seats to make sleeping easy en route. The return trip will leave Panama City at 1 p.m., Monday, July 4, arriving in Oak Ridge about midnight.

A minimum of 36 persons will be required for the trip and the transportation cost for the approximately 1,000-mile round trip is only \$12.50.

Deep Sea Fishing Planned

At Panama City the fishermen can board a charter fishing boat for a 40-mile sail out into the Gulf of Mexico for \$5 per day and the schedule allows for two days of such fun. All fishing tackle for the deep sea fishing is provided by the boat owners. Party members desiring to fish from a pier may obtain tackle for 50c per day. No fishing licenses are required for any salt water

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Friday Is Deadline To Enroll In New Carbide Savings Plan

With Friday, June 24, as the deadline for enrollment, Y-12 employees all over the plant last week were busy signing application and deduction authorization cards to participate in the Sixth Carbide Savings Plan that goes into effect July 1 and which will extend over a period of two years. The popularity of the savings plan and the eagerness of Y-12 employees to enroll indicated that a high percentage of the plant personnel will participate in the plan. A total of \$2 per cent of Y-12 employees on the payroll during May of this year are enrolled in the current savings plan.

Participation Is Voluntary

Participation in the Carbide Savings Plan is voluntary on part of any employee. To be eligible an employee must have been on the payroll for at least one year prior to the opening of the new plan on July 1.

The Carbide Savings Plan offers an easy and efficient way to save money. It provides for payroll deductions of not less than 50c weekly or \$2 monthly and not more than \$7 per week or \$30 per month. To these deductions the Company adds from 10 to 30 per cent, based on length of Company service, plus two per cent compounded annually. Then at the end of the two-year life of the plan, the employee is paid the entire amount.

Provisions Are Liberal

Provisions are made for reducing or increasing deductions or changing the name of the beneficiary designated. Employees laid off, disabled or retired will receive all amounts deducted, plus the Company payments and the two per cent interest. Anyone leaving the Company for other reasons or withdrawing from the plan will get back the amounts paid in, plus the two per cent interest.

Earl E. Murray Funeral Held In Danville, Ill.

Funeral services and burial were held in Danville, Ill., for Earl E. Murray, 60, a Y-12 employee since February 7, 1944, who died last Wednesday night at his home, 116 Kingsley Road, in Oak Ridge. Murray had been ill only since Monday and cause of death was given as a heart attack.

Murray was an engineer and draftsman in Dept. A12W, Plant Engineering.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Frances Murray; a daughter, Mrs. Jean N. Hickman, of Marion, Ohio; and a son, Phillip Murray, of Oak Ridge. Two grandchildren also survive him.

Bids Submitted For Tree Planting

The new housing project now under construction east of Scarboro Road and south of the Oak Ridge Turnpike will have 1,610 trees planted for shade and beauty before the dwelling units are ready for occupancy next spring. The Howard Hickory Co., of Hickory, N. C., recently submitted a low bid of \$14,932 for the planting, according to the Atomic Energy Commission.

Grip The Crow Sticks His Neck Out Too Far; W. O. Elam Now Has Successor To Ill-Fated Bird

Grip, the pet crow belonging to Y-12 Fire Dept. Capt. W. O. Elam, whose cute tricks, intelligence and general ability to get along with the entire Elam neighborhood on Jonathan Lane endeared him to youngsters and adults alike—met a recent untimely and sudden death.

It was all a case of mistaken identity or perhaps too much trustfulness on the part of Grip, says Captain Elam. The Elams were away on a week-end trip to the Smokies and left the crow in care of a neighbor. The neighbor left the house on an errand, leaving

Grip behind.

On his return, the neighbor opened the door and Grip—used to meeting Elam on arrival and perching on his arm—went into his act. The crow flew from the floor toward the door and—what he thought—was his rightful place on the caller's arm. However, the neighbor, not used to crow habits and particularly those of Grip, hastened to slam the door, fearing the crow was trying to escape.

Well, Grip forgot to duck, didn't see the door or something. His neck was caught and snapped like a cracker.

Maybe the moral of this story is—don't stick your neck out too far even when you think you are with friends.

However, the Jonathan Lane neighborhood will not be without a pet crow—Captain Elam made up his mind on that point. The ill-fated Grip came from near Sand Mountain, Ala., and after his demise the Elams made another journey to Alabama—and returned last week with another crow that Elam hopes to train to follow in the footsteps of Grip. He is thinking of calling the newcomer Gripe, or maybe Grip II.

Low Absentee Record In Y-12 Hits Fourth Week

No, folks, the calculating and adding machines aren't jammed—it is just an interesting and unique fact that for the fourth successive week only 1.8 per cent of Y-12 employees have been absent from work.

This record was first posted for the week ending May 22, establishing a new plant-wide attendance mark since the present system of record keeping was placed into effect and has been equalled for each week since then, including the week ending June 12.

Reports submitted by the Minor League of departments with from 15 to 49 employees were responsible for continuance of the low absentee figures for another week. Eight Minor League departments reported all present during the week ending June 12, which ties a mark established for the week ending November 14, 1948, for the largest number of departments reporting perfect attendance marks for any one week. The eight "all present" departments enabled the Minor League to reduce its own absentee mark for the week ending June 12 by .2 per cent from the preceding week while the Major League of departments with more than 50 employees showed a slight increase of .1 per cent in absenteeism.

Five Departments Are Repeaters

Five of the seven departments in the Minor League that reported perfect attendance marks for the week ending June 5 repeated for the week ending June 12. The repeaters were Dept. A13N, General Utilities and Standby; Dept. B12A, Superintendents; Dept. A12W, Plant Engineering; Dept. A12N, General Maintenance Office, Planning and Estimating; and Dept. M15P, Chemical.

Dept. M12S, Steam Plant; Dept. A12D, Medical; and Dept. A12T, Automotive Repair Shop; joined the other five in reporting perfect attendance. The Steam Plant and Medical employees were in second and third positions the preceding week while the Automotive Repair Shop rose from ninth position.

Second place in the Minor League went to the firemen of Dept. A14J, who were in a first place tie for the week ending June 5. The Fire Department absentee mark was only .39 per cent, while Dept. A12A, Janitors, were just a shade behind in third place with an absentee mark of .4 per cent. The janitors also were in a first place tie the previous week.

Dept. A14N Still On Top

Dept. A14N, Electrical Equipment Repair and Maintenance, held on to first place in the Major League for the week ending June 12 with an absentee record of .7 per cent. It was the fifth time in the past six weeks that this department has been on top. The guards of Dept. A12G rose from third place to second with an absentee mark of

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Miss Elizabeth Louise Roberts



ROBERTS-BOOTH

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roberts, of Pikeville, Tenn., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Louise Roberts, Dept. A14N, to Francis Kenneth Booth, son of Rev. Moody Booth, of Bainbridge, Ga., and the late Mrs. Booth.

Booth, a former Y-12 employee, is now employed with the Naval Research Laboratories in Washington, D. C.

The wedding will take place at the Chapel-On-The-Hill, July 23, with the Rev. J. R. Black officiating.

Shopping Center Site Work Expected To Begin Soon

Work on site development for the new shopping center for Oak Ridge may begin in the near future as the Atomic Energy Commission has announced that a low bid of \$1,124,179 for the project has been submitted by the Ralph E. Mills, Co., Inc., of Frankfort, Ky. The center will be located on a 108-acre tract immediately south of the Oak Ridge Turnpike and east and west of the present Scarboro Road.

The location is described as being "strategically oriented, both geographically and with regard to local and through traffic circulation."

The development will include clearing, grading, road construction, parking areas and utilities. The area will, when completed, be available for further development and construction of buildings by private businesses.

The development work is scheduled to be completed in 450 calendar days after it is started.



Three births were reported at the Oak Ridge Hospital to Y-12 families recently. Parents were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard G. Jenkins, a son, June 10; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth F. Brown, a son, June 13; Mr. and Mrs. John E. Harding, a daughter, June 15.

Foreman (on excavation job): "Do you think you are fit for really hard labor?"

Applicant: "Well, some of the best judges in the country have thought so."



REID - ROBERSON

Miss Mary Alice Roberson, formerly of Y-12, became the bride of Samuel Gray Reid, a former Y-12 employee, who is now residing in Gadsden, Ala., at 5:30 p.m. June 11, at the Chapel-On-The-Hill, with the Rev. J. B. Harris officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Roberson, of Algood, Tenn. Reid is the son of Mrs. Ridley Reid and the late Mr. Reid.

At her wedding the bride wore a white marquisette gown, fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, a tightly wrapped girdle tying in a big bow at the side, a graceful full skirt with diagonal puffs ending in a semi-train and a veil of imported illusion held in place with a tiara of pearlized orange blossoms. Her only ornament was a string of pearls, a gift from the groom, and she carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley, stephanotis and ivy with removable white orchid.

Maid of honor was Anna Ruth Roberson, sister of the bride, who wore a design of lilacs tinted marquisette featured with shirred bodies and double ruffles around the shoulders. She carried ester reed daisies and yellow snap dragons.

Bibb Allen, of Birmingham, Ala., was best man. The ushers were Frank Dominick, Jr., and Jones Price, Jr., both of Birmingham.

Miss Roberson was given in marriage by her brother, Fred Roberson, of Cookeville, Tenn., and during the ceremony Mrs. Joe Pointer sang "Because" and "Oh Promise Me." She was accompanied on the organ by Robert Seibert.

Out-of-town guests were Henry Heath, Jr., Jack Cole, Jr., Mrs. Bibb Allen, Mrs. Frank Dominick, Sr., Mrs. Jones Price, Glen Abernathy, Miss Nancy Perry, Mrs. Edgar Allen, Mrs. Katherine Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Todd, Miss Lula Bradford, all of Birmingham, Ala.; Joe Pointer, of Algood, Tenn.; Mr. Howard Mahler, of Cookeville, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Brotherton, of Greeneville, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. William Ferguson, of Detroit, Mich.; and John Malone, of Jackson Miss.

Immediately following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at 119 Tabor Road.

The bride attended Tennessee Polytechnic Institute in Cookeville, Tenn. She was listed in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities and reigned as homecoming queen her senior year. Reid attended Birmingham Southern College in Birmingham, Ala., and is a member of the Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

For traveling the bride wore a beige suit with green accessories and the white orchid from her bridal bouquet for a corsage.

Following a Southern honeymoon trip the couple is living in Atalla, Ala.

WACHTER-RAMEY

Of interest to many Y-12 employees who remembered her as a former fellow employee here was the marriage on June 11 of Miss Ann Frances Ramey to John Wells Wachter. The ceremony was performed at 4 p. m. at the Chapel-On-The-Hill by Paul V. Arow.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Oliver Ramey, 100 Kingsley Road, Oak Ridge. Her father is Superintendent of the Y-12 Employment Department. Wachter is the son of the late Dr. and Mrs. Willard Leigh Wachter, of Easton, Pa.

In the ceremony the bride was given away by her father. She wore a gown of white satin fashioned on classic lines and a veil of imported illusion. Her flowers were a sheaf of calla lilies.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Charles Morgan Knowles, a sister of the bride. She wore a gown of blue marquisette. John Wyks, of Burnt Hills, N. Y., was best man and ushers were Charles Morgan Knowles and William Millard Ramey.

During the ceremony nuptial music was presented by Robert Siebert, organist, of Oak Ridge; and Miss Jane Parkman, of Chattanooga Fla., vocalist.

Following the wedding a reception was held at the Oak Ridge



Y-12 Photos By Vince Moore

PRINCIPALS IN TWO JUNE

weddings of interest to Y-12

employees are shown above.

Above are Mr. and Mrs. Samuel

Gray Reid shown immediately

after the ceremony. Mrs. Reid

is the former Miss Mary Alice

Roberson, Dept. B12L. The

lower picture shows Mrs. John

Wells Wachter cutting her

wedding cake at a reception

following their marriage. Mrs.

Wachter formerly was Miss

Ann Frances Ramey, an ex-

Y-12 employee. Both weddings

were held at the Chapel-On-

The-Hill Saturday, June 11.

Two Y-12ers Named To Chest Groups

Two Y-12 employees have been named on sub-committees of the budget committee of the Oak Ridge Community Chest to review requests by Chest agencies for funds in the campaign to be conducted in October. J. M. Herndon is chairman of the group to consider requests for crippled children while Dr. C. P. Keim is a member of the sub-committee reviewing the budget for the school lunch program. Recommendations of the sub-committees will be made to the board of directors of the Chest by July 15, after which the quota for the October campaign will be established.

When you think that the world is all wrong, remember it's made up of people like you.

Hospital List

The following Y-12 employees were patients at the Oak Ridge Hospital recently: Aleene E. Carpenter, Dept. B12L; Norman L. Derbyberry, Dept. A17N; Sherman N. Elmore, Dept. A12G; Leonard R. Bledsoe, Dept. A16N; Joe R. Patton, Dept. H12L; Phyllis M. Brown, Dept. H12D; Jack M. Case, Dept. A16N.

Guest House.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Bolton Love, Orlean, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Wild, New York City; Miss Frances Parkman, Chattanooga, Fla.; Mrs. John Wyks, Burnt Hills, N. Y.; Miss Helen Loftis, Greenville, S. C.; Mrs. Howard Walker, Miami, Fla.; and Mr. and Mrs. C. Lyle Evans, Coeburn, Va.

The bride attended the University of Tennessee in Knoxville while the groom attended the California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, Cal.



Frank Fuis, Jr., Dept. A12W, and his family are enjoying an extended visit from his mother, Mrs. Anna Fuis, of Salem, Mo.

We are happy to hear Betty Jo Bulter, Dept. A12J, is recuperating at her home in Oak Ridge after undergoing an operation at the East Tennessee Baptist Hospital in Knoxville last week.

Frank Scheitlin, Dept. H12L, and his wife, Ruth, Dept. H12D, have as their house guest Ruth's mother, Mrs. J. J. Lawson, of Appalachia, Va. . . . The wives of L. O. Gilpatrick and B. F. Weaver taught a Bible School class at Gamble Valley last week . . . R. L. Bailey and his wife visited with relatives in Maryville

George Wells attended the wedding ceremonies of his brother, Dr. Robert D. Wells, in Atlanta, Ga. June 16 . . . Oliver Yonts and his wife, Eloise, formerly of Y-12, visited Yellowstone National Park in Wyoming during their vacation . . . Cora and Bill Brundage, accompanied by Earline and George Banic spent a recent week end roughing it in the Brundage's houseboat on Norris Lake.

Dept. A19N welcomes Laura Kennedy back on the job after being ill.

Dept. A20N extends get well wishes to F. E. Dykes who is ill at his home in Knoxville . . . J. E. Holbert and his family returned recently after spending their vacation touring the state of Florida . . . H. H. Miller made a vacation trip to Columbus, Ohio . . . A. M. Lowry was on the vacation list last week.

Kay Orton, Dept. B12A, plans to visit in Union City, Tenn., and Memphis during her vacation this week.

Edith Cruze, Dept. A12S, is back on the job after a quiet vacation at her home in Knoxville . . . Pauline Lovely spent last week at her home in Jacksboro, Tenn., taking life easy

Mary Margaret Norton and some Knoxville friends made a week-end trip through the Smokies and report the rhododendron and laurel were starting to bloom.

T. H. Burger and J. F. Murray, Dept. A13T, are on the vacation list.

Employees vacationing in Dept. A17N are: J. F. Colbert, E. A. Malone, C. E. Davis, J. D. Jackson, E. E. Holiday and C. D. Woods.

Charles F. Holloway, Dept. A12W, motored to Daytona Beach, Fla., and on his return made a stop at Savannah, Ga. . . . Matthew Wisnowski visited with relatives in Illinois . . . W. T. Naive made a week-end trip to Nashville . . . W. H. Rice traveled to Russellville, Ky., over a recent week end . . .

Floyd Remine, Dept. A14J, is back on the job after a quiet vacation in Oak Ridge . . . John K. Overton spent a few days basking in the sun at Pensacola, Fla. . . . W. T. Galyor spent a quiet vacation in Harriman, Tenn. . . . Capt. W. O. Elam and his family spent a recent week end visiting with Mrs. Elam's parents in Sand Mountain, Ala. . . .

George Strasser, Dept. M12P, and his family, accompanied by Paul Petretsky, Dept. H12D, and his family put in a lot of time fishing and sun bathing at Clearwater, Fla., during their vacation.

W. L. Bratcher, Dept. A12M, visited with his parents in McMinnville, Tenn. . . . Clyde Ferrell, Dept. A12M, and her husband, George, Dept. A16N, were roughing it at Douglas Lake recently. Of course they had planned on catching lots of fish. While Clyde was patiently awaiting the fish to bite, she accidentally dropped her two front teeth in the lake. George is still wondering how that happened and has his suspicions that maybe she was using them as a new fishing bait. . . .

Dept. A12P reports Mr. and Mrs. James Pope are the proud parents of a baby girl born June 7. The youngster's mother, Betty, is a former Y12 employee . . . Also Lucy McAmis Parker, the former Lucy McAmis, ex-Y-12 employee is the mother of a baby boy, born June 4.

W. E. Gallaher, Dept. A12M, spent a quiet vacation at her home in Knoxville . . . R. P. Tippy has returned from a vacation spent in Carbondale, Ill. . . .

During his vacation, R. L. Kite, Dept. A12G, and Mrs. Kite journeyed all the way across the country to visit their daughter, Mrs. A. W. Stembbridge, and family, in Los Angeles, Cal. Here they are, Kite and Mrs. Kite, Mrs. Stembbridge and the Kite's grandson, Bill Stembbridge, shown in the accompanying vacation snapshot. Anybody else got any good vacation pictures



like this one? F. A. Ruckart, Dept. A12G, and his family are visiting with relatives at different points in Alabama . . . J. R. Barber is taking life easy at his home in Knoxville . . . Deepest sympathy is extended to A. A. Pierce on the death of his uncle, Alfred Anderson, in Elizabethton, Tenn., June 11.

R. D. Freels, Dept. A13N, received a broken arm in an automobile accident recently and is recuperating in an Harriman hospital. The department extends a speedy recovery wish . . . F. B. Robinson is on the vacation list.

Dave Turner, Dept. A14J, and his wife, Ruth, Dept. H12E, are vacationing at Miami Beach, Fla. . . . Billy Hicks is back on the job after a restful vacation at his home in Clinton . . . F. A. Hyatt spent last week vacationing with his family in Knoxville.

Dept. A16N extends get well wishes to J. M. Case, who underwent an operation at the Oak Ridge Hospital last week; and to L. R. Bledsoe, who also is in the Oak Ridge Hospital, convalescing from a recent operation.

M. C. Becker, Dept. A12W, and his wife returned recently after vacationing in Florida . . . We are glad to hear W. M. Hopkins' wife has been discharged from the Oak Ridge Hospital and is recuperating at her home.

Virginia Smith, Dept. A12D, spent a recent week end with her sister in Kingsport . . . Cordia Bledsoe was on the vacation list last week . . . Blanche Gibbs made a week-end trip to Franklin, N. C., to visit relatives.

Eugenia Wilcox, Dept. B12A, and husband, Bill, are vacationing at Myrtle Beach, S. C. They were accompanied by Roland Dicks and Mrs. Dicks, both former Y-12ers. Marie Greenway traveled to Spartanburg, S. C., to visit her parents.

W. T. Hays, Dept. A23J, vows to take navigation lessons before he ventures out on Norris Lake after dark in the future. Seems as how Hays and a neighbor went fishing Saturday afternoon, June 11, and allowed darkness to overtake them while far off base. They began a voyage that, Hays said, always seemed to be outward bound and around and around—once they sighted the lights of LaFollette and again sought directions—from of all places by boatmen—of motorists passing along a shore road. To make a long story short—Hays and his shipmate spent the night on the banks of the lake after becoming completely, thoroughly and disgustingly just plain lost. It was cold outside—Hays reported on return to civilization the next morning.

Vivian McKenzie, daughter of T. A. McKenzie, Superintendent of Plant Protection in Y-12, is back in Oak Ridge after attending the Volunteer Girls State at Bethany Hills, 30 miles west of Nashville. While there Miss McKenzie was elected one of 10 senators of the group, which is sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion as a companion project to the Boys State operated by the Legion. Delegates to the Volunteer Girls State are chosen from junior classes of high schools throughout

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Y-12 Golf Tournament Dates Set; Qualifying Deadline Is July 5

The annual Y-12 plant-wide golf tournament will be held July 9, 10 and 16 with qualifying rounds to be played before July 5, it has been announced by the Y-12 Recreation Office.

Golfers who have played as many as three matches in any of the three Y-12 golf leagues do not need to qualify as their league average will be used to determine their flight allocation.

18-Hole Matches Required

The tournament will be match play with all matches over the 18-hole route. Players will be arranged in flights according to averages with as many flights as necessary to accommodate the entrants.

All male employees of Y-12 are eligible to enter the tournament. An entrance fee of \$1 will be charged to help pay for trophies. Trophies will be made to first and second place winners in the championship flight and first place in all other flights. An award also will be given for low medal score in the first round of play.

Drawings Set For July 5

Qualifying scores for golfers who must post them must be submitted to the Recreation Office, North Portal by noon, Tuesday, July 5. Drawings for the tournament will be made at that time.

The first round matches are to be played Saturday, July 9 with the second round scheduled for July 10. The finals may be played any time during the week of July 11, but not later than Saturday, July 16.

Golf Leagues Nearing End Of First Half

As first half play in the three Y-12 plant golf leagues neared the end, none of the 24 teams playing remained undefeated last week. The first half of the season ends July 2, providing two more weeks of play. All teams that are behind in their schedules are urged to make every effort to catch up before the clock runs out.

Tiller-Grimes Team Topped

The high-flying Tiller-Grimes combine in the Birdie League finally joined the ranks of the losers when they were knocked off by Cain and Hooker, two and one. Harris-Matlock beat Foster-Brown, one up. Ratjen-Henderson beat Harris-Matlock, but no card was turned in. Tiller-Grimes still lead the loop with four wins and one loss. Ratjen-Henderson, Cain-Hooker and Olson-Nessle are tied at three-one each.

In the Par League Keese-Mitchel beat Caldwell-Stetson, two up. Lavers-White beat Keese-Mitchel, four and three. Keese-Mitchel lead with six and one, followed by Caldwell-Stetson and Peterson-Overholser with three-one each.

Only One Match Reported

The Bogey League results show Tibbatts - W a n a m a k e r beating Strohecker-Crouse, one up in the only match reported. Orrison-McKay top the league with two-one, followed by Ludwig-Cotton and Tibbatts with three-two each.

The schedule for the final week of play, beginning June 27, follows: Birdie League—Dunlap-Crews vs Foster-Brown. Barker-Doyle vs Olson-Nessle. Cain-Hooker vs Harris-Matlock. Tiller-Grimes vs Ratjen-Henderson.

Par League—Reynolds-Bernander vs Holzkecht-Adkins. Bowles-Wiest vs Herndon-Underwood. Peterson-Overholser vs Caldwell-Stetson. Keese-Mitchel vs Lavers-White.

Bogey League—Sherrod-Seymour vs Orrison-McKay. Duncan-Hubbard vs Koontz-Lister. Strohecker-Crouse vs Larson-Tilson. Ludwig-Cotton vs Tibbatts-Wannamaker.

A friend called upon a guest at a hotel, knocked, and asked him to open the door.

"Can't; door's locked," the voice within announced.

"Well, unlock it!"

"Can't; have no key."

"Great Scott, man! What will you do if there's a fire?"

"Can't go!"

When you educate a man you educate an individual; when you educate a woman, you educate a whole family.



A STRONG AGGREGATION OF SOFTBALLERS IN THE Y-12 PLANT LEAGUE IS THE Bldg. 9212 outfit, pictured at left above. Seated on the bench from left are C. M. Moses, J. T. Barker, Ralph Ford, E. E. McCombs and P. H. Trebilcox. In the back row are A. B. Campbell, J. R. Mangrum, R. G. Marlar and Woody Wiggington. Seated in front is Frank Thurmond. In the picture at the right Ira Shotts, of the Bums, is free wheeling around third base en route to score. The gent with the disgusted appearance, even from the rear, is Ralph Ford, of Bldg. 9212.

Cardinals Call Practice; New Players Are Signed For Stores Tilt Friday

In an effort to bolster the Y-12 Cardinals in the Oak Ridge Baseball League, Manager Bill Burns has arranged for practice sessions for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week on the Scarboro diamond. The drills will begin at 5:30 o'clock and all squad members and new aspirants to the team are urged to report.

More Talent Is Sought

Combining the plant for more diamond talent, Boss Bill corralled six more players last week who may strengthen the Red Birds. In addition to these men, the manager has urged any employee in Y-12 who has played ball or would like to try for the team to turn out for the drills this week.

The Cards played two games over the past week end and are scheduled to tackle the Community Stores outfit at 8:15 p.m. Friday night, June 24, at Oakwood Park No. 1. The week-end foes were the Hubs of Oak Ridge National Laboratory and the AEC Patrol.

Present Members of Squad

Members of the Cardinal squad now include Fred Guttery, Elmer Johnson, Walter Sherrod, Jack Holt, John McAlister, L. C. Martin, Bill Dodson, Tom Coffey, N. H. Noe, Fred Kappelman, Warren Grimes, Emmett Moore, Paul Braden, C. A. Hall, Joe Lister, Ed. Honeycutt, Jay Holzkecht, Joe Dunlap, T. B. Hendrick and Bill Prater.

In recent clash against K-25 the Cards had a bad night and were smothered by the score of 20 to 5. Inability to muster full strength was responsible for the loss. Details are not necessary in relating this debacle, but we will publish this line score, as follows:

Team	R	H	E
K-25	0 4 0	5 0 2	3 4 2
Y-12	2 0 0	1 1 1	0 0 0

Batteries: K-25, Rives and McCann. Y-12, Lister, Hendricks and Noe.

Women Netters Win First Half Of Ridge Loop

The women's tennis team of Y-12 increased its lead in the Oak Ridge City League and insured themselves of top spot in the first half of the season by taking four matches from the Independents last Thursday. Two singles matches were cut short by rain and were to have been finished Saturday with Y-12 lassies figured to win each of them.

In singles Joan Gilliam beat Comar, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3; and Mozelle Rankin topped Fox, 6-2, 6-3. Helen Burkhalter and Norton stood even in sets, 3-6, 6-2; and Marv Freestone had Colley one down, 6-3, when it rained. In doubles Elizabeth Patrick and Ann Hart trimmed Gilbert and Gwaltney, 6-3, 6-2; and Virginia Spivey and Lovelle Thompson won by forfeit.

The Y-12 lassies meet K-25 at 5:30 p.m. today on the Townsite courts. It will be the last round of the first half of the season. The second half opens July 5 following a city wide tournament for both men and women.

Keep matches out of reach of all children.

All Americans, Rippers Hold Spots As League Contests Run To Form

The All Americans and Rippers maintained their one-two positions in the Y-12 plant softball league play through last Wednesday with the Bums moving up to threaten the Rippers in the standings as the teams got well into the second round of the first half of the season.

Standings Face Changes

Some games over the past week end could materially change the standings as the Bums were to play the seventh place All Stars last Friday and the All Americans and Rippers were slated for action Monday night.

The schedule for the next three playing dates follows:

Wednesday, June 22
7 p.m., Y-12 women's game. 8:30 p.m., Hit Balls vs Rippers.

Friday, June 24
7 p.m., All Americans vs Bums. 8:30 p.m., Bldg. 9212 vs All Stars.

Monday, June 27
7 p.m., Rippers vs Bums. 8:30 p.m., All Stars vs All Americans.

Games during the June 10-June 15 period went mostly according to form. The Rippers rallied after a brief slump to whitewash the All Stars, 6 to 0 and the highest scoring tilt was turned in by the All Americans in trouncing the Hit Balls, 28 to 1.

Y-12 Girls Played VFW

The Y-12 women softballers had another taste of outside competition last week against the Women's Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. The Y-12 lassies almost nipped the lady vets but went down to defeat by the score of 16 to 13 as the VFW outfit scored six runs in the last inning. "Fiz" Tucker got a pair of home runs for Y-12, Betty Whitehorn and Helen Brown bashed out four for four and Katherine Jenkins blasted three for four.

Results of games played from June 10 through last Wednesday night and league standing at that time follow:

Team	R	H	E
Bums	2 2 0	0 0 0	2 6 9
Isotopes	2 0 0	3 0 0	0 5 6

Batteries: Bums, Walton and Hale. Isotopes, Killian, Stukenbroeker and Griffin.

Team	R	H	E
Bldg. 9212	1 1 0	2 3 3	0 10 10
Bums	6 3 3	0 0 2	x 14 17

Batteries: Bldg. 9212, Barker, Ford, McCombs and Moses. Bums, Walton and Hale.

Team	R	H	E
Rippers	0 2 0	1 1 4	0 8 5
All Stars	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 5

Batteries: Rippers, Gordon and Lowery. All Stars, Tilson and Marrow.

Team	R	H	E
Bldg. 9212	1 1 0	0 4 1	0 7 12
Isotopes	6 0 1	0 1 2	x 10 8

Batteries: Bldg. 9212, Ford and Barker. Isotopes, Love, Killian and Griffin, Frazier.

Team	R	H	E
All Americans	8 1 2	0 0 5	1 28 21
Hit Balls	0 0 0	1 0 0	0 1 3

Batteries: All Americans, Ross and Boatman. Hit Balls, Walpool, Lewis and McGinnis.

Team	R	H	E
VFW Women	3 3 1	0 2 1	6 16 12
Y-12 Women	3 0 4	4 0 2	0 13 17

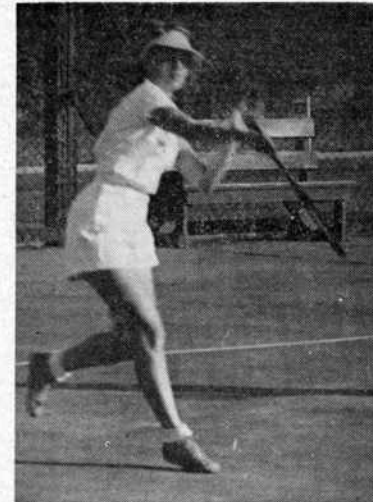
Batteries: VFW, Fossett and Shelby. Y-12, Brown and Hutchison.

LEAGUE STANDING

Team	W	L	Team	W	L
All Americans	7	1	Bldg. 9212	4	5
Rippers	6	2	Hit Balls	3	5
Bums	6	3	All Stars	2	6
Isotopes	5	4			

HEED DOCTOR'S ADVICE

When a doctor suggests a surgical operation it is well to heed his advice, the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. declares, as it may be more expensive both financially and from the standpoint of health, not to comply.



Y-12 Photos By Vince Moore

CLASSY COURT ACTION by Y-12 lassies is shown in these pictures of players on the plant team that leads the Oak Ridge City League. At top Ann Hart follows through on a snappy backhand shot. The center picture shows Elizabeth Patrick's fine forehand form. At bottom is Virginia Spivey preparing for a backhand stroke.

High School Bid Is \$2,490,206

A low bid of \$2,490,206 has been submitted by the John A. Johnson and Sons, Inc., New York, for construction of the new Oak Ridge High School, it has been announced by the Atomic Energy Commission. The school is scheduled for occupancy in the autumn of 1950, and will accommodate 1,500 pupils.

The new school plant will include four individual buildings, connected by covered passages. When completed, the new school will supplant the present high school, which will become the city's second junior high school. The new school will be located east of Grove Center and south of Providence Road. It will contain an auditorium seating 1,500 persons to be used for school and civic purposes.

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Responsibility Law, Permits Face Drivers

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If the operator of a vehicle in an accident is unable to report and is not the owner of the car, the owner must file the report. Failure to report an accident is a misdemeanor under the new law.

May Revoke Driving Privileges

Both driving permits and automobile registration licenses may be revoked under the new law. It provides that the commissioner of safety must within 10 days after receiving accident reports from operators or owners of vehicles involved in accidents or from highway patrolmen or other officers, send a complete report to the commissioner of finance and taxation. The commissioner of finance and taxation then must notify owners of all cars involved to appear before him within 10 days or submit satisfactory evidence that his car was not involved in the accident, or was not driven by the owner or some person with his consent, or that the owner is financially able to satisfy a judgement up to \$11,000 that might result from the accident.

Should the commissioner of finance and taxation fail to be satisfied on one of these three points, the driving license and ownership registration will be suspended. The suspension will remain in effect until a court has decreed that the accident was not because of negligence on the part of the owner or person operating the vehicle with consent of the owner, or all claims for damages have been satisfied or one year elapses without a damage claim being filed.

Forms Easy To Obtain

The accident report forms required by law may be obtained from the highway patrol, offices of the state departments or safety or finance and taxation, county clerk's offices and other places. Motorists are urged to be safe by having such forms in their vehicles in cases of accident.

Only the courts may fix blame for an accident and if a driving permit or license registration is suspended it must remain suspended pending such a decision. Once such suspension is decreed the vehicle may not be re-registered until proof of financial responsibility is given by the owner.

The law provides three choices to show proof of responsibility. Owners may deposit with the commissioner of finance and taxation sufficient cash to pay for damages resulting from the accident up to \$10,000, a corporate surety bond in the same amount or evidence that a valid automobile liability insurance policy in the amount of not less than \$1,000 for property damage, \$5,000 for injuries sustained by one person or \$10,000 for all personal injuries resulting from one accident was in effect at the time of the accident.

Insured Owners Benefited

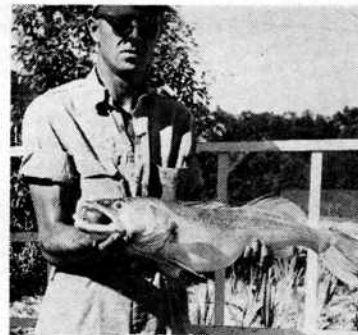
Motorists with such insurance are cautioned that if they are involved in an accident, the mishap still must be reported. However, under such circumstances the law will not affect driving and registration privileges except that owners must continue to show proof of financial responsibility in the future. A form required to prove ownership of such insurance is issued with the accident report forms.

The safety lane inspection period that begins July 1 will remain in effect until September 24, providing 62 working days for the tests. The lane will be open from 9:15 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 1:45 p.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays. According to the department of public safety in the future the safety lane inspections will be held beginning the first of January and July of each year. The present safety lane stickers listing as expiring June 1 will be honored through September 24, the closing date of the new inspection period.

FIRM INSURES 32,000,000

More than one-fifth of the entire population of the United States and Canada, about 32,000,000 persons, is insured by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. This is the company that handles the Carbide Group Insurance Plan coverage in Y-12.

Chilton's Pike Picture Poses Big Challenge



George Chilton And Fish

Just so none of his potential opponents in the Y-12 fishing contest will sell his entry short, George Chilton, Dept. H12L, has submitted a picture of the hefty walleye pike he caught June 6 at Anderson Dock on Norris Lake. He previously entered the fish in the contest as a challenge to other anglers of the plant.

This walleye weighed eight and three-quarter pounds and was 29 inches long.

The Y-12 Recreation Office is offering prizes to Y-12 fishermen who report the largest catches in any of six species of fish. They include walleye and sauger pike, rainbow trout, crappie and large and small mouth bass. Entry blanks for the contest may be obtained at the Recreation Office, North Portal.

Eyes Rationed; Goggles Prove Worth In Y-12



Eyes are rationed—only two to each person during their lifetime.

For that reason the need of compliance with Y-12 safety regulations requiring the wearing of safety glasses or goggles in certain areas and on certain jobs is continually stressed. Where the equipment is deemed necessary for the protection of employees the safety glasses and goggles are issued by the Company.

Failure to comply with the safety provisions for the protection of sight might lead to a preventable accident that possibly could cost the sight of one or both eyes. The safety glasses and goggles issued to Y-12 employees have proved their worth on more than one occasion and the importance laid on wearing of the equipment in prescribed areas is based on the welfare of the employee.

Low-Cost Trip To Florida Is Available For Y-12ers

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fishing. Lodging may be obtained for not more than \$2 per night, depending on the size of groups occupying cabins or rooms. Then allowing \$1 each for meals and a total of \$9 for such expenses, the total reaches a maximum of \$35.50.

June 27 Is Deadline

Any Y-12ers wanting to make this trip are urged to communicate with the Recreation Office, North Portal, telephone 7-8252, at once. The deadline for forming the party is Monday, June 27, and applicants will be required to post \$10 deposit. The transportation cost of \$12.50 for the round trip is based on a load of 36 passengers and if less than this number make the journey the cost will be proportionately more.

METROPOLITAN BUSY

More than one-fourth of all Group Life Insurance in the United States is administered by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. This is the firm that handles the Carbide Group Insurance Plan in Y-12.

More Street Paving Planned For Ridge

Approximately six and one-half more miles of Oak Ridge city roads and lanes will be repaved with sidewalks and entrance walks to about 745 dwelling units constructed under the fourth phase of the street and sidewalk improvement program in the city.

The McGraw Construction Co., of Middletown, Ohio, was low bidder for the work when proposals were opened June 8. Its bid was \$590,319. A period of 300 calendar days will be allowed for completion of the construction after a contract is awarded.

The new construction program includes Cahill Lane, Carlisle Lane, Cedar Lane, Chatham Lane, Clarion Road, Dallas Lane, East and West Dalton Lane, East and West Damascus Road, Darwin Lane, Decatur Road, Delmar Circle, Devon Lane, Dewey Road, Disston Road, Dixie Lane, Essex Lane, Evans Lane, Euclid Circle, Euclid Place, Everett Circle, East and West Fairview Road, East and West Farragut Road, East and West Faunce Lane, East and West Fernhill Road, Oak Lane, Ogden Circle, Ogden Lane, Ogleshorpe Place, Ogontz Lane, Olean Road, Olmstead Lane, Tacoma Road, North and South Tampa Lane, Tabor Road, Taylor Road, Thayer Lane, Thelma Road, Thornton Road, Tilden Road, Tomlinson Road, Townsend Road, Trevoise Lane, Tucker Road, Turner Road and Tyson Road.

Low Absentee Mark Runs Into Fourth Week

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an even one per cent while Dept. H12E, Process Development, jumped from 10th place held the preceding week to third by reporting 1.01 per cent of its personnel absent.

The Y-12 absentee record for the week ending June 12, by departments, follows:

MAJOR LEAGUE More than 50 Employees Scheduled			
DEPT.	Percentage Absent	Standing 6-12-49	6-5-49
A14N	0.7	1	1
A12G	1.0	2	3
H12E	1.01	3	10
A17N	1.6	4	4
M12P	1.8	5	5
B12L	2.03	6	7
A12S	2.06	7	6
H12L	2.1	8	8
B13L	2.4	9	9
A16N	2.5	10	2
A20N	2.6	11	11
H12D	4.1	12	12

Group absentee percentage was 1.9 per cent higher than the preceding week.

MINOR LEAGUE 15-49 Employees Scheduled			
DEPT.	Percentage Absent	Standing 6-12-49	6-5-49
A13N	0.0	1	1
B12A	0.0	1	1
A12W	0.0	1	1
A12N	0.0	1	1
M15P	0.0	1	1
M12S	0.0	1	2
A12D	0.0	1	3
A12T	0.0	1	9
A14J	0.39	2	1
A12A	0.4	3	1
M12M	2.4	4	6
A12M	2.6	5	7
A13T	3.3	6	4
A12R	4.2	7	8
A19N	6.9	8	5
A13W	8.0	9	5

Group absentee percentage was 1.3 per cent, .2 per cent lower than the preceding week.

The plant average for the week ending June 12 was 1.8 per cent, remaining the same as the preceding week.

Largest Carnival Coming To Ridge

A big-time carnival, reported to be the biggest railroad show on the road today, will play in Oak Ridge this week under sponsorship of the Oak Ridge Junior Chamber of Commerce. The carnival will be staged in the Middletown area just off the Oak Ridge Turnpike. It will open Tuesday for a 10-day run.

The company is the John R. Ward Shows and requires 25 railroad cars for transportation. It is said to have a midway 600 feet long by 400 feet wide, making it by far the largest attraction of its kind ever to show here.

Discretion is something that comes to a person after he's too old for it to do him any good.



HERE IS THE PHOTOGRAPH THAT WON FIRST PRIZE in the June contest of the Carbide Camera Club. It was made by Nat Stetson, of Y-12, vice president of the club, and the subject is his son, Ricky, for whom the picture is titled.

Stetson's Picture Of Son Wins Carbide Camera Club Contest

First prize in the black and white print contest held in connection with the monthly meeting of the Carbide Camera Club last Tuesday night, June 14, was won by Nat Stetson, of Y-12, vice president of the club. Second prize went to Herbert Clinton, a K-25 member of the club, in a close finish; while Don Ross, of Y-12, placed third. A total of 16 pictures on children were entered in the contest with all prints being above the average. First honorable mention in the contest went to John Ramsey and second to Herman Dickerson, both of Y-12.

Took Son As Subject

The subject of Stetson's photograph was his son, Rickey, five years old. The picture was taken with a Kodak Reflex camera on an F8 stop at a shutter speed of 1/25th of a second. It was printed on Opal G paper and developed in Selectol for 30 minutes.

Vincent Moore, Y-12 photographer, judged the entries and analyzed each from a technical standpoint.

The next meeting of the Carbide Camera Club will be held at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday night, July 12, in club headquarters in the Y-12 East Portal. A color slide contest on the subject of flowers will be held.

Prizes To Be Awarded

Also at the July meeting prizes will be awarded to point winners in the monthly contests held by the club during the 12-month period ending in April. Prizes of \$12.50, \$7.50 and \$5 will be presented to Ross, Stetson and Ramsey in the black and white print classification while Foster Calloway, Ross and Gilbert Mellen will be given the awards for color slides. Calloway and Mellen are former Y-12 employees now with Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corporation at South Charleston, W. Va.

As old fashioned kitchen is one with a cook in it.



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the state by the Auxiliary and school authorities.

P. C. Ziemke and his family vacationed at home in Oak Ridge with a short trip to the Smokies, Big Ridge Park and Jellico. His sons, Donald and Myron, continued North to Toledo, Ohio, to drive back a new Willys Overland car.

Carl A. Cooper, Dept. A16J, reports that his wife who spent nine weeks in St. Thomas Hospital, Nashville, has returned to Oak Ridge and is convalescing from a rare and serious operation. Cooper wishes to extend thanks to friends in Y-12 and throughout Oak Ridge for flowers and "get well" messages sent to Mrs. Cooper while she was in the hospital.

Kenneth Brown, Dept. A13S, is the proud papa of a baby boy, Kenneth Samuel, weighing nine pounds, born June 13.

Avo Hammond and Doris Moore, Dept. A12L, accompanied by Winnie Miller, Dept. A12J, and Mary Lou Pate, Dept. B12A, spent a recent week end in Gatlinburg.

Mrs.—"This suit has become extremely shabby. Shall I give it away?"

Mr.—"Gosh, no. That's the suit I wear when I go to protest my tax bill."